



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: KANTOR et al. :  
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Application No.: 10/779,366 : Group Art Unit: N/A  
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Filed: February 13, 2004 : Examiner: N/A  
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For: DENTAL X-RAY APPARATUS

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Please consider the following Preliminary Amendment for the above-referenced Application.

**A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

The **Amendments to the Specification** section begins on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

The **Amendments to the Claims** section begins on page 3 of this Preliminary Amendment and any amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims included therein.

The **Amendments to the Drawings** section begins on page 4 of this Preliminary Amendment and any amendments to the drawings include attached replacement sheets.

The **Remarks/Arguments** section begins on page 5 of this Preliminary Amendment.

An **Appendix** including drawing figures is attached following page 5 of this Response.